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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) DOCKET NO. E-02044A-12-0419
DIXIE ESCALANTE RURAL ELECTRIC)
ASSOCIATION, INC. FOR A DETERMINATION)
OF THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS PROPERTY AND)
FOR AN ORDER SETTING JUST AND)
REASONABLE RATES)
_____)

In compliance with the Procedural Order in this matter, Dixie Escalante Rural Electric Association, Inc. ("Dixie") hereby files the certification of mailing and avadavat of publication of its rate case public notice.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 31st day of January, 2013.

By

John V. Wallace
Grand Canyon State Electric Cooperative Assn., Inc.
Consultant for Dixie Escalante Rural Electric Association

Original and thirteen (14) copies filed
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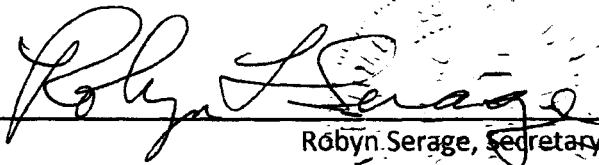
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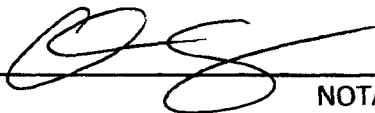
I, Robyn Serage, being first duly sworn upon oath before a notary public depose and say that I, as Secretary of Dixie Escalante Rural Electric Association, Inc., did in the course of my duties cause to have deposited in the United States mail on Monday the 31st day of December, 2012, the attached notice properly addressed to each member of Dixie Escalante Rural Electric Association, Inc., in Arizona at his address as it appears on the records of the Corporation with the proper postage prepaid affixed to said notice.

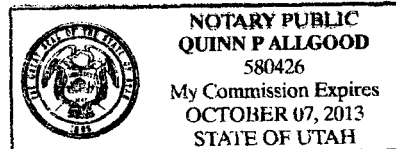

Robyn Serage, Secretary

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On the 14 day of Jan 2013 personally appeared before me Robyn Serage, signer of the above instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that she executed the same.


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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF HEARING ON THE APPLICATION OF DIXIE
ESCALANTE RURAL ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC. FOR A
DETERMINATION OF THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS PROPERTY AND
FOR AN ORDER SETTING JUST AND REASONABLE RATES**
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On September 25, 2012, Dixie Escalante Rural Electric Association, Inc. ("Dixie Escalante" or "Company") filed an application with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") for a permanent gross revenue increase of approximately \$193,315, or approximately 10.17 percent over current revenues, for the provision of electric service provided to its customers in Arizona. For a residential customer with monthly usage of 1,000 kWh (average residential usage was 953 kWh per month during the test year), the increase would be \$4.50 (7.32 percent), from the current amount of \$61.50 to \$66.00. For small commercial customers with monthly usage of 5,000 kWh (average small commercial usage was 5,005 kWh per month during the test year), the increase would be \$29.40 (11.24 percent), from the current amount of \$261.60 to \$291.00. The rate impact on customers would vary based on customer class and individual usage if Dixie Escalante's proposal were to be adopted.

The Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") is in the process of auditing and analyzing the application, and has not yet made any recommendations regarding the Company's proposed rate increase. The Commission will determine the appropriate relief to be granted based on the evidence presented by the parties. **THE COMMISSION IS NOT BOUND BY THE PROPOSALS MADE BY THE COMPANY, STAFF, OR ANY INTERVENORS; THEREFORE, THE FINAL RATES APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION MAY DIFFER FROM THE RATES REQUESTED BY THE COMPANY OR OTHER PARTIES.**

If you have any questions concerning how the Company's rate proposal will affect your bill or have other substantive questions about this application, you may contact the Company at: **DIXIE ESCALANTE, 145 WEST BRIGHAM ROAD, ST GEORGE UT 84790; TELEPHONE 435-439-5311; E-MAIL: MAIL@DIXIEPOWER.COM FOR CUSTOMER CONTACTS CONCERNING THE APPLICATION.**

How You Can View or Obtain a Copy of the Rate Proposal

Copies of the application and proposed tariffs are available at the Company's offices at **145 WEST BRIGHAM ROAD ST GEORGE UT 84790** and at the Commission's Docket Control Center at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona and on the internet via the Commission website (www.azcc.gov) using the e-docket function.

Public Hearing Information

The Commission will hold a **hearing** on this matter beginning **June 17, 2013, at 10:00 a.m.**, at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington St., Phoenix, Arizona 85007.

Public comments will be taken at the beginning of the hearing. Written public comments may be submitted by mailing a letter referencing Docket No. E-02044A-12-0419 to Arizona Corporation Commission, Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007, or by email. For a form to use and instructions on how to e-mail comments to the Commission, go to <http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utilities/forms/PublicCommentForm.pdf>. If you require assistance, you may contact the Consumer Services Section at 1-800-222-7000 or (520) 628-6550.

About Intervention

The law provides for an open public hearing at which, under appropriate circumstances, interested parties may intervene. Any person or entity entitled by law to intervene and having a direct and substantial interest in the matter will be permitted to intervene. If you wish to intervene, you must file an original and 13 copies of a written motion to intervene with the Commission no later than **February 1, 2013**, and a copy of the motion to Dixie Escalante or its counsel and to all parties of record. Your motion must contain the following:

1. Your name, address, and telephone number and the name, address and telephone number of any party upon whom service of documents is to be made, if not yourself.
2. A short statement of your interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer of the Company, etc.).
3. A statement certifying that you have mailed a copy of the motion to intervene to the Company or its counsel and to all parties of record in the case.

The granting of motions to intervene shall be governed by A.A.C. R14-3-105, except that all motions to intervene must be filed on or before February 1, 2013. If representation by counsel is required by Rule 31 of the Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court, intervention will be conditioned upon the intervenor obtaining counsel to represent the intervenor. For information about requesting intervention, visit the Commission's website at <http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utilities/forms/interven.pdf>. The granting of intervention, among other things, entitles a party to present sworn evidence at the hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. However, failure to intervene will not preclude any interested person or entity from appearing at the hearing and providing public comment on the application or from filing written comments in the record of the case.

ADA/Equal Access Information

The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission to its public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, as well as request this document in an alternative format, by contacting the ADA Coordinator Shaylin Bernal, E-mail SABernal@azcc.gov, voice phone number 602/542-3931. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

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